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SUBJECT: HUMAN RIGHTS CONGRESSIONAL CORRESPONDENCE:  
SEVEN ARGENTINE POLITICAL PRISONERS

REF: 1977 BUENOS AIRES 9662, BUENOS AIRES 0068

1. PURSUANT TO YOUR REQUEST OF NOVEMBER 7, 1977 TO  
SECRETARY VANCE REGARDING SEVEN ARGENTINE POLITICAL  
PRISONERS WHO WERE ELIBIGLE FOR RELEASE ON NOVEMBER  
10, 1977, THE FOREIGN OFFICE'S WORKING GROUP ON HUMAN  
RIGHTS HAS INFORMED US THAT THE FOLLOWING PERSONS ARE  
STILL BEING HELD UNDER EXECUTIVE DETENTION:

CASE NO.

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167/77/11 PIOLI, SUSANA  
162A/77/11 FRIAS, EDITH BEATRIZ STAHELLI DE  
164/77/11 GRUTSKY, EDUARDO  
169/77/11 VARELA, JULIO  
163/77/11 GASPARINI, OSVALDO  
168/77/11 PIAZZA AMENDOLARA, RUBEN ORLANDO

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2. THE FOREIGN OFFICE WORKING GROUP ON HUMAN RIGHTS HAS  
REQUESTED ADDITIONAL IDENTIFICATION DATA REGARDING EDUARDO  
GONZALEZ (165/77/11 AND JUAN GONZALEZ166/77/11.)

3. ALTHOUGH EDITH BEATRIZ STAHELLI DE FRIAS, SUSANA PIOLI,  
EDUARDO GRUTSKY, RUBEN ORLANDO PIAZZA MENDOLARA, OSVALDO  
GASPARINI, JULIO VARELA, HAVE SERVED THEIR COURT IMPOSED

SENTENCES, UNDER THE PROVISIONS OF THE STATE OF SEIGE  
CURRENTLY IN EFFECT THEY MAY BE HELD WITHOUT CHARGES FOR AN  
UNSPECIFIED PERIOD OF TIME. AS THEY HAVE COMPLETED THEIR  
CRIMINAL SENTENCES, THEY ARE NOW ELIGIBLE TO SEEK THE  
GOVERNMENT'S PERMISSION TO LEAVE THE COUNTRY UNDER THE RIGHT  
OF OPTION PROVISIONS OF LAW 21.650. WE HAVE RECEIVED AND  
ARE CONSIDERING A REQUEST FROM RUBEN ORLANDO PIAZZA AMENDOLARA  
FOR AN EMBASSY CERTIFICATE FOR THE RIGHT OF OPTION PROGRAM.

4. THESE CASES WILL CONTINUE TO BE MONITORED BY THE EMBASSY  
AND WE SHALL OF COURSE, CONTINUE TO KEEP YOU INFORMED OF ANY  
FURTHER DEVELOPMENTS.

5. SINCERELY YOURS, RAUL CASTRO, AMBASSADOR.  
CASTRO

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